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SUBJECT: PL 480/TRADE WITH CUBA

1. AS EMBASSY AWARE FY 76 TITLE I PROGRAM CONTEMPLATED FOR MOROCCO. IN PAST, DUE TO MOROCCAN TRADE WITH CUBA, PRESIDENTIAL DETERMINATION WAS NECESSARY TO REMOVE PROHIBITION ON TITLE I SALES CONTAINED IN SECTION 103(D)(3) OF PL 480 (FINDLEY/BELCHER AMENDMENT).

2. LATEST DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FIGURES BASED ON MONTHLY STATISTIQUES DES ECHANGES EXTERIEURS DU MAROC (OFFICE DES CHANGES) STATISTICS INDICATE IN JANUARY-OCTOBER 1974 PERIOD MOROCCAN EXPORTS TO CUBA TOTALED \$5,274,000. IN DETERMINING IF MOROCCO REQUIRES FINDLEY/BELCHER WAIVER AND IF SO
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QUALIFIES FOR PRESIDENTIAL DETERMINATION WE REQUIRE FOLLOW-

ING:

---- (A) BREAKDOWN OF EXPORTS TO CUBA (I.E., PRIVATE VS
GOM), INCLUDING IF POSSIBLE DATA MORE RECENT THAN OCT. 1974,
AND WHETHER ANY EXPORTS MADE ON MOROCCAN SHIPS OR AIRCRAFT;

-- (B) COMMODITY COMPOSITION OF ANY GOM EXPORTS TO CUBA;

-- (C) EMBASSY ASSESSMENT OF CURRENT TREND GOM/CUBA TRADE,

-- (D) EMBASSY VIEW AS TO WHETHER OUR FEBRUARY 1975
ASSESSMENT ON MOROCCAN ADHERENCE TO PL 480 AIRCRAFT/
SHIPPING PROVISIONS (CONTAINED STATE 30456) STILL VALID.
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